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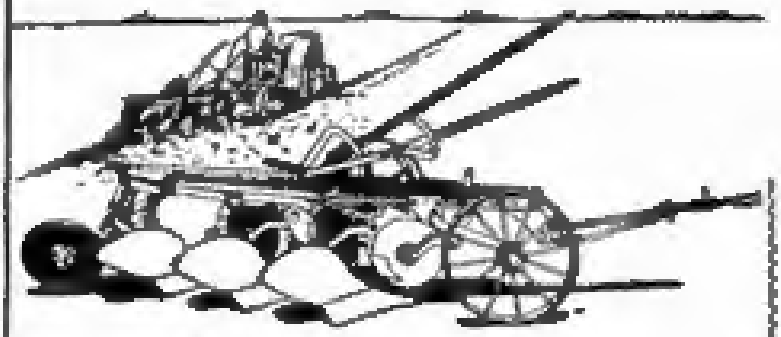

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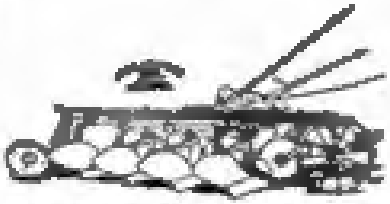

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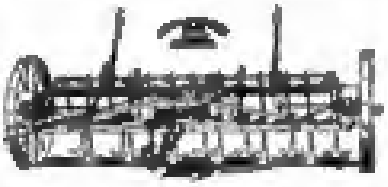

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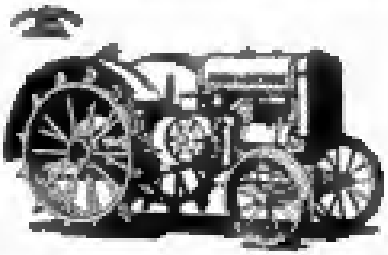

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EDITORIAL

USE THE AUTHORIZATION FORMS

As was pointed out at the Acadia Federal Convention, the use of authorization forms for the collection of U.F.A. membership dues from the Wheat and other Pools is by far the most satisfactory means of making payment. This method of payment involves the conferring of no special privilege upon the Association. Just as it is frequently found convenient to make ordinary business payments by cheque upon a bank, so members will find it convenient to pay their dues to their Association by a "cheque" on one or other of the Pools, for this, in effect, is what the authorization is. Those who sign the continuing authorizations can cancel them as will, should they at any time wish to do so, but their use will in fact save labor and trouble for Local Secretaries, who in future years will be able to devote the time saved in collecting, to other problems of their local organizations.

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SHACKLING THE EMPIRE

When the advocates of the new "Empire" party write and speak of building up the British empire by a policy of preference they have in view the erection of a tariff wall against the rest of the world, and the imposition of taxes on food which the masses of the people of Great Britain must buy. The U.F.A. resolution, moved in the House of Commons last session by H. E. Spencer, M.P., urged, on the other hand, "an immediate and substantial increase of the British preference as a step towards freer trade relations between Canada and other nations."

The two policies are as far asunder as the poles. The U.F.A. members' proposal would serve to improve the relationships of the peoples in the group of nations known as the British Empire, by affording relief from present burdens. It would bring closer trade relations, with freedom, and it would not be exclusive.

The so-called "Empire" policy which the British Chancellor of the Exchequer, Philip Snowden, has wisely repudiated, would place in the grip of new shackles all the peoples of the British nations. It would make the very thought of association with the Dominions hateful to millions of citizens of the British Isles, who would come to regard the breaking of this association as essential to a tolerable existence. It would identify the idea of Imperial development with slavery to the purposes of great industrialists, engaged in a struggle against the imperial industrial groups of other states which could only culminate in war.

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FINANCIAL DICTATORSHIP

The attempt to create a tariff-bound British Empire will almost certainly fail because it can only be made in the open, and depends, ultimately, upon the popular will. More disconcerting than this, because it is more insidious, is the tendency to centralization of financial institutions of which the plan for an international bank to deal with reparations payments is the latest evidence. Not the internationalization of banking, but the irresponsibility of financiers is the evil.

In the view of those who are today in command of financial policy, the great merit of an international bank such as they have made their objective, is that it would be for practical purposes beyond "political," that is to say beyond public control. It would be in the hands of those who are responsible to no popular assembly. It would increase in immeasurable degree the difficulties of those groups of citizens, in many parts of the world, who are seeking, by every means that lie to hand, political and economic, to bring about the transformation of our civilization from a competitive to a co-operative basis.

The recent financial conference in Europe is a portent. It gives cause for grave anxiety and must prove an incentive to more intense effort by those who are concerned to capture, for public ends, the control of financial policy.

International financial and economic institutions are desirable. But international financial organization will imperil the whole future of the democratic order, and clear the way for new forms of financial Fascism, unless it be preceded by fundamental financial reform.

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THE WAINWRIGHT FIRE

The destruction of the town of Wainwright by fire is a disaster of serious magnitude. The steps which have been taken to relieve the distress are to be heartily commended. The people of rural Alberta will feel very real sympathy with the sufferers, and approve of all measures and expenditures necessary to this end.

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NEWS OF THE ORGANIZATION

Activities of Locals and District Associations and Information from Central Office—Notes on Co-operation

EWING PICNIC

Ewing U.F.A. Local held a successful picnic at Round Lake on July 4th, says a report in the *Battle Independent*. Novelty races, a ball game, and dancing in the evening constituted the chief part of the program.

BOW ISLAND SPORTS DAY

About 1,000 persons attended the annual U.F.A. sports day at Bow Island on July 1st, says a report in the *Bow Island Review*. Several baseball games were held, Bow Island winning against Whitla, and Burdett defeating both Bow Island and Westfield.

MUNICIPAL ORGANIZATION

After a thorough discussion of the proposal to consolidate L. I. D. 66 with Eureka municipality, Barnwell U.F.A. Local at a recent meeting passed a resolution suggesting that the Government send a man into the district to explain the matter in all its ramifications, in a series of meetings. A delegation from the Taber Board of Trade attended, according to a report in the *Lethbridge Herald*, and took part in the discussion.

LAND FOR RECREATION

S. Carson, M.L.A., and Glen Storie, Director for East and West Edmonton, visited Abee U.F.A. Local recently, states the secretary, F. M. Cardy, giving "interesting addresses on organizing, the work of the Legislature, roads, etc. At our monthly meeting an offer was accepted from Valley Bothanley for the use of five acres of land for recreation purposes, rent free for five years. The thanks of the community are due to Mr. Bothanley for his kind offer."

CYPRESS CONVENTION

Cypress U.F.A. Provincial Constituency Convention met at Elkwater Lake on July 17th, says a report from the secretary, H. C. McDaniel. The main business was election of officers, but a spirited discussion of U.F.A. affairs was carried on. Fay Jackson, of Etzikom, is the president for the ensuing year, and the directors are as follows: Rudolph Doehring, Norton; Ed. Maser, Elkwater; Jack Maser, Manyberries; Fred Kearns, Etzikom; S. T. Swanson, Prosperity; H. C. McDaniel, Whitla.

TALK ON SCHOOL BILL

Burlington U.F.A. Local held a U.F.A. Sunday meeting at the Burlington schoolhouse when Hon. Perren Baker gave a splendid talk on the activities of the U.F.A. and a thorough explanation of the new School Bill, says a report from the secretary, Thos. Cargill. Mr. Kurtaweg, president of the Local, spoke briefly, and Mr. Hollihan presided. A musical program by U.F.A. members, assisted by the Juniors, was greatly enjoyed by all. Ice cream and cake was served, following some community singing.

U.F.A. SUNDAY AT BEDDINGTON

U.F.A. Sunday was observed by Beddington U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. Locals on June 30th. "The church was filled to the doors," says a report from Mrs. Banderob. "Mrs. F. E. Wyman spoke in her usual pleasing manner; Mrs. Pinder, of Calgary, sang a solo, much appreciated by all, and H. B. Adshead, M.P., gave a splendid address. On July 1st, the annual joint picnic was held, with an immense crowd present. Everyone seemed to enjoy the races and baseball games. The booth was a busy place. Supper was served, followed by a dance given by the Juniors."

WAINWRIGHT CONVENTION, AUGUST 3rd

Wainwright U.F.A. Provincial Constituency Association, will hold their annual convention at the Buffalo Park on August 3rd. Russell Love, M.L.A., and one of the members of the Provincial Cabinet, will give addresses.

BOLD JOINT PICNIC

Willowdale U.F.A., U.F.W.A. and Junior Locals held a joint picnic on July 1st, when a large crowd enjoyed the baseball and basketball games and children's races. Refreshments were served in the hall, and ice cream, cold drinks and hot dog stands were busy all day. A dance was held in the evening, and proceeds from both dance and picnic were equally divided among the three Locals. "Two of our members, one U.F.W.A. and one Junior delegate, attended the Camrose convention," writes the secretary of the U.F.A. Local, G. R. Blades. "Two of our young people attended the Junior Conference. One has only to see the young people gathered at the University during this conference to realize what a great thing this is for them, and for the future of the U.F.A."

RALLY ON HISTORIC GROUND

A very successful rally of farmers living along the inter-Provincial boundary was held on July 19th with Jos. Hurman in the chair, says a report received from W. Dalton, Esther, Alberta. "The principal speakers were S. Plumer of the Wheat Pool, whose concise explanation of Pool methods was welcomed and applauded; and Robert Gardiner, M.P., chairman of the U.F.A. Group in the House of Commons, who confined his speech largely to questions arising out of the recent Grain Commission. Mr. Gardiner carried the enthusiasm of the large gathering until the setting sun perforce brought the meeting to a too early close. The rally was held upon the slopes of the beautiful Coutes' Lake, and many present called to mind a meeting on the same ground which did some fine historic work, which conclusively led to the capture of the Alberta Provincial Government. Since then, with the help of their loyal sons, it has been shown that Cincinnatus was not the only farmer who could become a legislator."

WHITFORD CONVENTION AUGUST 10th

The annual convention of the Whitford U.F.A. Provincial Constituency Association will be held in Willingdon on Saturday, August 10th, says a notice from L. G. Bray, secretary-treasurer of the Association. Addresses will be given by Hon. Perren Baker, M. Luchkovich, M.P., and G. M. Mihalcheon, M.L.A.

HILLSIDE LOCAL

There was a good attendance at the July meeting of Hillside U.F.A. Local, held at the home of H. Arnold, says the *Wetaskiwin Times*. Considerable time was spent in making arrangements for forthcoming social events, chief among these being the annual excursion to Pigeon Lake. A transportation committee was appointed to arrange transportation for all those who have not cars, and it was decided to make a small charge upon adults to help defray expenses. It was also decided that the date for the postponed picnic should be July 26th. Wm. Irvine's final monthly report of the recent session was read and discussed with interest. A club order was made up to take advantage of best prices on binder twine. A membership drive was discussed, and it was decided that this Local accept responsibility to increase its own membership. As a start, two visitors present were enrolled. A very concise and thoughtful report on the convention at Lacombe was given by J. O. Harvey. F. Atkins also reported briefly. The business was followed by an excellent supper.

McCAFFERTY CONCERT

On the evening of Friday, June 28th, the McCafferty Local staged the finest concert, in the U.F.A. Community Hall, that has ever been held in this district and the hall was crowded with a most enthusiastic and appreciative audience, who manifested their enjoyment of all the good items on the stage in a most hearty manner, thus encouraging the talented performers to give of their best, which they did most generously.

The chair was taken by Henry E. Spencer, M.P., for Battle River, who discharged his duties in his usual diplomatic and able manner.

The spirit of the whole evening was redolent of healthy, happy enjoyment—the very object aimed at by this Local, besides developing a desire for good stage work on the part of the audience. Supper was served in the basement, after which a dance, which was considered one of the best ever held since the Hall was opened, was enjoyed till morning.

The only blot in the evening was caused by a few who listened to the concert from outside the hall and then before either the artists or the audience proper, could get down to supper, raided the basement and caused unnecessary annoyance and delay. As our farming communities develop to a more civilized standard, this ignorant type will disappear altogether, and we would like to think that day is not far distant.

The McCafferty district has a good reputation for hospitality and high class entertainment. The concert of the 28th

heightened that reputation. The thanks of the district are due to the artists who came from far and near and provided such a truly delightful evening.

E. HERBERT SPENCER
for the Organising Committee,
McCafferty U.F.A. No. 415.

Stettler U.F.A. Provincial Convention

Stettler U.F.A. Provincial Constituency Association will hold their annual convention on Friday, August 9th, commencing at 10 a.m., at Stettler. E. A. Hanson, secretary, states that the following speakers are expected to give addresses: Mrs. A. H. Warr, President of the U.F.W.A.; W. T. Lucas, M.P.; Robert Gardiner, M.P.; and A. L. Sanders, M.L.A.

Macleod U.F.A. Federal Convention on August 9th

To be Held at School of Agriculture, Claresholm

To all Members of U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. Locals in the Macleod Federal Constituency Association of the U.F.A.:

The annual meeting of the Macleod Federal Constituency Association will be held in the Assembly Room of the Claresholm School of Agriculture on August 9th, beginning at 11 o'clock.

The school and farm have very good grounds, so bring your own lunch and let us have a picnic at noon.

Reports and speeches will be given in the afternoon.

G. G. Coote, M.P., will give a very interesting report and it is planned to have another speaker.

The business will include the election of officers and the consideration of resolutions for the next Annual Convention. If your Local has any resolution that they wish discussed, will you please send it to the secretary as soon as possible.

It is hoped that every Local will be well represented and we can make it a day of pleasure as well as business. Opportunity will be given to view the plots and fields on the farm and the other activities of the institution.

HUGH F. SPENCER,
Secretary.

Sedgewick Holds One of Best Conventions in Its History

(By F. GRANDAGE, Secretary)

The ninth annual convention of Sedgewick U.F.A. Provincial Constituency Association was held in Nichols Hall, Killam, on July 16th, seventeen Locals being represented. Chas. P. Hayes, of Stroms, was elected chairman. Members of the committee on credentials and order of business were: F. E. Hanson, Viking; I. L. Lewis, Killam; L. W. Pettis, Lougheed.

J. J. Strang, Wheat Pool Director, spoke on Pool affairs, outlining the progress that the Pool is making. His address was received with hearty applause, as was that of Mrs. J. L. Zipperer, U.F.W.A. Director. J. E. Brown, of Castor, U.F.A. Director, congratulated the association on the splendid attendance, the largest in its history. He explained what the U.F.A. had done since its formation. The convention passed a vote of thanks to Mr. Brown.

A. G. Andrews, M.L.A., reported on the business done by the last session of the Legislature, outlining the various Acts passed. At the close of his address an expression of confidence was tendered to Mr. Andrews.

F. E. Sedgewick, director of the Killam co-operative, explained the co-operative distribution of supplies to its members through the Co-operative Wholesale Society, and expressed the belief that the time was ripe for the U.F.A. to go into this enterprise on strictly co-operative lines. Marketing of hogs by the Livestock Pool was dealt with by Mr. McDonald, director of the Pool. He also gave a very detailed survey of the huge profits made by the packing plants.

Officers elected were: President, C. P. Hayes, Stroms, re-elected; first vice-president, Mrs. Wm. Hallum, Sedgewick, re-elected; second vice-president, W. N. Bates, Alliance, re-elected. The directors are F. E. Hanson, Viking, E. Berg, Killam, I. L. Lewis, Killam, and Mrs. E. M. Rombough, Meeya. At the board meeting following, Frank Grandage was re-elected secretary and treasurer. This brought to a close one of the best conventions ever held in the district.

Ponoka Constituency Ass'n Is Thriving

The following officers were elected at the annual convention of Ponoka U.F.A. Provincial Constituency Association, says a report in the *Ponoka Herald*: president, Roy Vold; vice-president, Mrs. John Krefting; secretary, Mrs. H. E. Russell. The secretary's report showed the association's financial condition to be satisfactory.

Premier Brownlee, member for the constituency, Hon. Mrs. Parlby, and Mrs. W. H. Warr, president of the U.F.W.A., gave addresses. The Premier surveyed the work of the Government since 1921, and showed that the progress made during that period had been most marked. He dealt with educational problems, and commended the new school act; and also spoke of the work of the Department of Health. Old Age Pensions, the sale of the Provincial railways, the natural resources, and highways building were all discussed by the speaker. Mr. Brownlee closed with an appeal for more beautification of towns, cities and rural districts, urging the planting of trees and the preservation of our lakes, large and small.

Mrs. Parlby gave a very interesting resume of her trip to Europe last winter, and Mrs. Warr stressed the importance of work among the young people.

A resolution was passed expressing sympathy with C. C. Reed, of Asker, who was seriously ill in Edmonton.

Late U.F.W.A. News

U.F.W.A. CONFERENCE, VEGREVILLE

The U.F.W.A. conference for Vegreville constituency, held at Tofield, was a decided success from every point of view. The meeting convened at 11 a.m., with the Director, Mrs. McNaughton, in the chair. The first discussion centred around the value of the conference; it was decided to hold another next year and to have an exhibit of Canadian-made goods, to charge an entry fee of $1 to every Local making an exhibit, and to use the proceeds to help defray expenses. In the afternoon Mrs. E. Price, Second Vice-President, gave an address on immigration. This address, and the hour's discussion which followed, were most interesting.

Mrs. Seale, Tofield, read a fine paper on "How to Make the Work of the Locals More Effective." Miss Ness, also of Tofield, gave the women a treat with two soprano solos. Mrs. Murray led the community singing.

Hon. Perren Baker gave a very brief outline of the proposed new School Act, and the delegates asked questions even during the tea hour. In the evening, Mr. Baker spoke at length to a joint meeting, and there were some musical numbers.

AT WILLOW HOLLOW

The last monthly meeting of Willow Hollow U.F.W.A. Local was held at the home of Mrs. Callihan, says the *Killam News*. A number of Cremar ladies were in attendance, as well as several other visitors. The roll call was answered by funny "Aunt Het" sayings; and after the business, Mrs. Hoffman read a paper on "Why I joined the U.F.W.A." written by a member who was formerly an officer in a British Labor organization. A prize of a fancy cup and saucer, donated by Mesdames Erickson and Hoffman, was drawn for by a small child and won by Mrs. Baird. The hostess served lunch, assisted by Mesdames Hampshire and Hoffman.

Hundred Persons Attend Medicine Hat Convention

(By H. C. McDANIEL, Secretary)

The Medicine Hat Federal Constituency U.F.A. Convention held on July 16th and 17th, brought together about one hundred U.F.A. people. The first day was taken up by the business session, organizing the convention, receiving reports, election of officers, etc. The forenoon of the second day was given to the Cypress Provincial Constituency Convention, and the afternoon to speeches and discussion. Hon. Perren Baker, Minister of Education, Dr. Gerhase, M.P., W. C. Smith, M.L.A., and R. L. Seymour, Director of Town Planning, were the principal speakers.

Officers were elected as follows: president, J. D. Rogers, Bindloss; vice-president, Lloyd Woolley, Nurton; directors: A. Anderson, Pashley; H. C. McDaniel, Whitla; Carl Axelson, Bingville; John Fowlie, U.F.A. Director, and Mrs. H. C. McDaniel, U.F.W.A. Director, are ex-officio members of the board.

"One of the most menacing facts of our time is the way in which the commercial motive is invading and prostituting the mental and artistic as well as the economic sides of modern life. Much of the Press, most of the stage, all the movies, and the whole field of advertising have been captured for profiteering.—Philip Kerr in *The Nation*, London, England.

"It matters little what feelings may have possessed the fighting men. It is not those feelings that determine either the cause or the issue of war. War is about territory, power and trade and nothing else. War remains what it has always been, murder for the sake of loot."—G. Lowes Dickinson, famous English essayist.

U.F.A. Sunday Observed at Large Gathering at Clear Lake Community Centre

William Irvine, M.P., Mrs. Warr and Other Speakers Address Notable Gathering

Travelling on a day of great heat and high winds, distances which in one or two instances exceeded a hundred miles, farm people in large numbers assembled in the fine community hall on the shore of Clear Lake on July 21st, to participate in the observance of U.F.A. Sunday. The gathering will be a memorable one in the history of the movement in the district.

Under the able chairmanship of J. K. Sutherland, U.F.A. Director for Arcadia, (who with Mrs. Mary Banner, U.F.W.A. Director, and the enthusiastic co-operation of officers and members in the district had made the preparatory arrangements) an audience which even the large community hall proved inadequate to accommodate, gave a very cordial welcome to William Irvine, M.P., who discussed "The Religious Significance of the U.F.A. Movement," to R. A. McPherson, Wheat Pool Director and Mrs. A. H. Warr, president of the U.F.W.A., on the occasion of her first visit to this district in her present capacity, and Charlie Mills, president of the Junior U.F.A., and other speakers. Mr. Warren, of the United Church, participated in the proceedings, and W. N. Smith spoke briefly.

A Lakeside Community Centre

To those who had not previously visited the district, the work that has been done in the creation of a community centre was a matter of especial interest. Ten years ago, Chain Lakes and Weise U.F.A. Locals took the initiative which led to the setting aside of land on the lakeshore for community purposes. Here, the process of rural improvement and beautification has been started well in advance of the organized efforts now being made under the direction of the Provincial Government. Trees have been planted, and their growth will be a real factor in the creation of a beauty spot by the lake. Bathing pavilions have been erected and the land near the beach serves as a sports centre for use on the occasion of various special gatherings. As was remarked by several of the speakers of the day, the plans which are being worked out at Clear Lake provide an excellent example of the practical application of U.F.A. principles, in the creation of amenities of social life.

R. A. McPherson, Wheat Pool Director, who was the first speaker called upon, in a brief speech gave a very satisfactory report on the present position of the Pool, and of prospects for the future. He was very heartily applauded.

Religious Significance of U.F.A.

The essential unity of the idealistic with the practical side of the farmers, movement was eloquently and convincingly presented by William Irvine, M.P. Declaring that the U.F.A. movement, while responsible for many noteworthy achievements in the field of industry, derived its inspiration from an essentially social and spiritual view of life, Mr. Irvine set forth the exalted character of the goal which the farmers and farm women of Alberta have set before them.

"Co-operation," he said, in one notable passage, "is the technique of human brotherhood"; the realization of brotherhood was an essentially religious purpose. If the U.F.A. sought to express all the aspects of citizenship, and all its responsibilities, it must include a religious idealism. The day of religious dogma was passing. The race, now growing up, was charged with the responsibility of self-direction in matters pertaining to religion, philosophy and politics, in place of a credulous obedience to church and state. God could not be found in the process of intellectual riddles. But in the happy laughter of children, the kindness of the human heart, the fellowship of a common brotherliness, that universal principle for which the term God stands might be discovered. Having discovered that principle, men need not disturb their minds concerning what became of the term.

Opinion Unimportant

Opinion was relatively unimportant. Throughout the ages many men had believed that they had found the whole of Truth, yet was not the Persian fable an apt illustration of human limitations. Truth it was said, was a mirror which God had smashed into fragments. Then, in the course of history, many men discovered each a piece of the mirror, and each believed that his small piece was Truth. It was, but only a part of the whole, and through the discoveries of the ages, through the working together of many minds, gradually, pieces could be brought together, though the whole could never be complete.

Religion was the great unifying principle by which every aspect of human life could be seen as a whole. It was harmony—physically, for it was concerned with health; mentally, for it involved hospitality to new ideas and the casting out of fear; spiritually, in the inward harmony which came from a sense of oneness with the universe; morally, in harmonious relations of man with his fellows. Its laws were of, and not contrary to human nature. It was the principle which gave unity and meaning to life.

There were those who stood aghast at the weight of responsibility which, as a result of the growth of the new freedom, the freedom from the dominance of outworn dogmas and opinions, had fallen upon the shoulders of this generation. But there could be no going back. The drums of destiny never beat a retreat. The dangers of the new order must be faced, in a spirit of courage, and the new problems which freedom brought, solved. The great challenge to the leaders of the day was to "speak to the children of men that they may go forward." Danger had never proved an effective barrier to the spirit of man. The new freedom was one of the processes of making man, and man was in the process of growing up to God. Beauty and truth more than ever drew willing response from the depth of our being, and love still held in her hand the heart of the world. Courage was not buried in the grave of orthodox superstition, because man's spiritual instincts were the very elements out of which he came. Children of the universe, we were fundamentally one with it.

Mr. Irvine concluded with an appeal for the deeper recognition of the spiritual basis of the U.F.A. movement, which, founded in a sense of brotherhood, could, through the application of this essentially spiritual principle, and in co-operation with other great movements, conquer the future for mankind.

W. N. Smith stated that during the 22 years he had spent in newspaper work, he had known no other privilege so great as that of serving in the U.F.A. movement. The years which had been spent in the organization had been peculiarly happy because here was to be found the union of the ideal with the practical, the conscious moulding of events by the members of a great organization with a mighty purpose; the advance, stage by stage, towards the goal of the co-operative commonwealth.

Youth and World Peace

Remarking that all wars were fought by the youth of the nations, Charlie Mills, President of the Junior U.F.A., said that as the hope of the future lay in the young people, so their hope for the future of humanity lay in world peace. So long as preparations were made for war, how could permanent peace be expected? Mr. Mills described briefly the program of training for citizenship followed by the Junior U.F.A., and appealed for the support of all Seniors. The Junior U.F.A. was the only organization taking up young people's work in the rural communities.

Mr. Sutherland said he was sure that the members would approve of the addition of the Junior President to the Central Board. The Board had gained by Mr. Mills' participation in its work.

U.F.W.A. President

Mrs. A. H. Warr said it gave her very real pleasure to see the monument to co-operative effort which had been raised on the shores of Clear Lake through the instrumentality of the U.F.A. Locals. The bearing of one another's burdens was a principle at the root of U.F.A. activities, and the sharing of each others' joys. The farmers could never attain to the higher and most satisfying life which they sought if their ideals were solely economic. She pleaded for a better chance for all boys and girls of the farms, and pointed out that the improvement of our educational system was vitally necessary to that end, and she asked for support for the Junior U.F.A. activities. Proud of the great leader of the movement, Mr. Wood, and of the distinguished women who had occupied the presidency of the U.F.W.A., she would seek to follow, very humbly, in the carrying on of the work they had so nobly undertaken in the past.

A very interesting account of the studies organized by the U.F.W.A., in peace and arbitration, legislation, immigration and other matters, was given by the speaker. Some of the most timid members, who most feared to take part in work of a public sort, proved among the best when they were given the opportunity.

Mrs. Warr concluded with reference to the changed attitude towards agriculture which the U.F.A. had brought about in the Province, and quoted Mr. Corbett of the University to the effect that "The U.F.A. is the most vital force for social welfare in Alberta and in Canada today."

Mr. Warren, of the United Church, said it was a pleasure to hear the leaders of the U.F.A. express the idealism of the movement clearly as had been done on this occasion. The U.F.A. came to Alberta as a necessity and was born of the ideals of Jesus Christ. It stood today as the greatest co-operative institution in the Province. It was proceeding upon right principles.

A vote of appreciation of the splendid services given to the community by Mr. Sutherland and Mrs. Banner and to all those who had contributed to the pro-

gram was moved by Gordon Forster, M.L.A., and carried unanimously. Mr. Sutherland, in reply, remarked that no road had been too long and no climatic conditions too difficult for Mrs. Banner, who had never flinched from responsibility during her long tours of the constituency.

The thanks of the meeting to the speakers of the day were also expressed.

Joint Convention Held by Two Constituencies

Coronation and Ribstone U.F.A. Provincial Constituency Associations held a two-day joint convention at Gooseberry Lake on July 19th and 20th, says a report in the *Consort Enterprise*. The Friday afternoon session began with addresses by Junior officers—Charlie Mills, president, Miss Greta Isaac, past director, and Miss Edna Jackson, director for Acadia constituency. At four o'clock the pavilion was packed to capacity, as Premier Brownlee commenced a very fine address. Saturday forenoon was taken up with reports and elections; in the afternoon R. S. Plumer, Wheat Pool Director, gave a very interesting talk on co-operative marketing, followed by reports by Hon. G. N. Johnston, M.L.A. for Coronation, and W. G. Farquharson, M.L.A. for Ribstone. Mrs. Warr gave a very able address at the evening session. The program was interspersed throughout with music. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Farquharson were the committee in charge of this part of the program.

URGE RAILWAY EXTENSION

Whitburn U.F.A. Local at their last meeting passed a resolution asking the Provincial Government and the Federal Minister of Railways to push forward highways construction and the building of branch lines of the C.N.R. in order to provide employment. The resolution states that owing to "crop failures throughout the three Prairie Provinces and the ordinary depression due in its regular cycle causing unemployment" there will be hardship unless work is provided by the means suggested. The resolution especially urges the building of an extension of the railway from Spirit River to Rolla.

Red Deer Endorses Proposed Change in Rural School System

Federal Convention Also Strongly Opposes Every Form of Assisted Immigration for Agricultural Immigrants—Alfred Speakman, M.P., and Other Well-Known Speakers Give Addresses

The changing of the educational system of the Province along the lines outlined by the Minister of Education was endorsed by the annual convention of the Red Deer U.F.A. Federal Constituency Association, held in the Elks' Hall, Red Deer, on July 25th. The resolution was carried unanimously, after a somewhat lengthy discussion.

Dealing with the question of immigration, the convention also carried the following resolution:

"Whereas, the matter of over-production of wheat has during the last crop year been brought very forcibly to the attention of our producers by way of low prices; and

"Whereas, the authorities who have charge of immigration matters apparently centre all their attention on immigrants to go on the land, thus intensifying a problem already acute (this fact is borne out by the non-success of the Soldier Settler and the Empire Settler schemes);

"Be it therefore resolved that this convention go on record as being opposed to all Government assistance, transportation or otherwise, to immigrants whose objective is to go on the land."

The convention opened at 2:45 p.m. by the singing of "O, Canada" followed by the invocation by Rev. Mr. Smith. R. Pye, president, was elected chairman, and Messrs. Sigurdson, Biggs and Davies were appointed a resolutions committee. After dealing with some routine business, the president gave his annual address, expressing pleasure at the large gathering. Mr. Pye reviewed his work as president of the association and director for the constituency, for the past year.

The financial report given by the secretary showed a balance in the treasury.

J. Jesse Strang gave an instructive address on Wheat Pool matters; Mrs. Hepburn reviewed the work of the U.F.W.A.; Mrs. Martin gave a musical selection, following which officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Mrs. P. C. Hepburn, president; C. P. Biggs, vice-president; directors, A. F. Wright, Ardley; J. E. Lundberg, Erkville; Jas. A. Wood, Elnora; Tom Sigurdson Penhold; P. D. Thomas, Bowden; Mrs. T. H. Nord, Olds; G. A. Burns, Didsbury; W. H. Davis, Didsbury; J. C. Stone, Alix. Jas. A. Wood is secretary.

Hon. Mrs. Irene Parlby spoke on matters pertaining to Provincial administration and was accorded a very hearty vote of thanks.

D. F. Kellner, M.P., then spoke on Federal affairs, paying high tribute to the member for the constituency, Alfred Speakman. The close attention given Mr. Kellner by those present gave some indication of the quality of his address.

Mr. Speakman then gave an excellent account of his stewardship in the last session of Parliament, and at the conclusion was given a vote of confidence.

The meeting was concluded by singing the national anthem.

IN BOW RIVER

Mrs. R. Price, second vice-president of the U.F.W.A., and Mrs. J. C. Burkley, Director for Bow River Constituency, addressed a series of meetings during the last week of June, at Irricana, Keoma, Strathmore, Nightingale, Raintree and Tudor (a joint meeting), Ardenode, Gleichen, and Namaka. At all but one meeting the attendance was very good, that at Strathmore being particularly large. Mrs. Burkley spoke on general organization matters, and Mrs. Price dealt particularly with immigration.

MRS. SIBBALD INJURED

Members will regret to learn that Mrs. J. D. Sibbald, of Calgary U.F.W.A. Local, sustained serious fractures in an automobile accident in Calgary on July 23rd, and will be confined to the General Hospital for a considerable period. Mr. Sibbald was slightly injured.

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MISCHIEVOUS JOURNALISM

In common with responsible British newspapers, many of the daily papers of Canada have recognized the necessity for restraint in discussing the crisis in the Far East.

Unhappily this policy has not been quite universal. At a time when the obscurity of the despatches made the appraisal of the merits of the dispute peculiarly difficult, the Calgary *Albertan* did not hesitate to jump into the arena with ready-made praise and blame, and ready-made advice as to the proper response of the British and American and Japanese peoples. It referred to "mountains of diplomacy" that would be used to effect a settlement; but if that failed, then:

"Armed intervention by these powers in behalf of China," said this paper in an editorial headed "The War Drums," "is as much of a duty as it was in the case of Belgium in 1914."

This kind of thing is unfortunate. It is in the very worst spirit. The comparison with the case of Belgium is of course ludicrous. The *Albertan*, it is true, contained some allusions to the League of Nations, which, incidentally, has never been regarded by its popular supporters as a means of settling disputes by primarily military means. But the net effect of the *Albertan's* article was a kind of psychological preparation of the public mind for the prospect of engaging in warlike activities.

Such portions of the British press as the *Daily Express*, to mention only one newspaper which is at once Conservative and Imperialist, took a very different view of the situation on the Sino-Russian frontier, and most strongly advised the Chinese to seek a pacific settlement. It offered them no encouragement to adopt a recalcitrant attitude, and of course the most responsible of all British dailies, the *Manchester Guardian*, proffered similar advice. This advice to the Chinese to repudiate the action of their officials was in fact the burden of the editorials both of the *Guardian* and the *Express*.

It may be said that a daily paper published in Alberta can do little actually to affect the course of international affairs. That may be true. But it is no excuse for irresponsibility. Platitudinous tributes in the press to the ideals of international peace can be of no value if at a time when sober judgment is called for, an attempt be made to prepare the public mind for the support of unwise and unjustifiable military adventure.

One thing is certain. If the dispute which happily seems likely to be settled peacefully had resulted in actual hostilities, the determination of the fate of a Manchurian railway would not have warranted the sacrifice of the life of a single Canadian youth, or the mobilization of a single Canadian unit.

Convention and Rural Meetings Reveal Vigor of U.F.A. Spirit in Acadia

Federal Constituency Convention at Hanna Endorses School Bill and Affirms Opposition to Tariff Application—Robert Gardiner, M.P., on Futility of "Retaliation"—Mrs. Warr Condemns Cadet Training

In common with the greater part of the Province, Acadia is faced with a season of meagre crops, but if the series of meetings which culminated in the rally of U.F.A. Sunday at Clear Lake and the Annual Convention of the U.F.A. Federal Constituency at Hanna on July 22nd are criteria, the unfavorable outlook will mean no weakening of the organized farmers' movement, but rather the reverse.

Organization Vigorous

It was during a period of exceptional difficulty some years ago that the will to raise the status of their industry, by united effort, to higher levels was steeled. Farmers and farm women from what is now Acadia took a leading part in the movement which resulted in the entrance of the U.F.A. into the field of active politics, and to the creation of the Wheat Pool, and upon their unpaid labor later successes have largely been built. The Convention in the commodious Veterans' hall, gave many evidences that the U.F.A. spirit remains bright and the movement vigorous, even though paid-up membership, which is increasing, still remains much lower than in the days when, in a mood of intense enthusiasm, the farmers first decided to take into their own hands the control of their own affairs. The fine comradeship built up in the earlier days is strongly manifest. Acadia is preparing, essentially in the old spirit, and by co-operation of veteran and eager youth, to play her part in the advance of the organized farmers to further goals of achievement.

The Convention gave a cordial reception to Robert Gardiner, M.P., the constituency representative, who made an able survey of the features of the session, and expressed himself convincingly and with great clearness upon certain major issues of controversy, upon which the Convention left no doubt as to its strong support.

To most of the delegates, the Convention provided the first opportunity to hear Mrs. Warr, the new President of the U.F.W.A., whose well-delivered speech made an excellent impression, as did that of Charlie Mills, President of the Junior branch. Fifty accredited delegates were registered, and 10 directors, while there was a large attendance of visitors.

Tariff Policy

The Convention expressed emphatically its continued adherence to the tariff policy of the association, the following resolution being adopted after discussion with only one dissenting vote:

> "Whereas, the Canadian Egg and Poultry Pool have asked for tariff protection on their commodity, resolved that this Convention go on record as being opposed to the principle of protection."

Resolutions were also adopted approving the new School Bill (4 votes against); protesting against the expenditure of money by the Government of Canada to bring in immigrants and recommending that such expenditures be diverted to the establishment of health units; asking the Alberta Wheat and Coarse Grains Pools where possible to retain sufficient grain in local elevators to meet possible local requirements, owing to the possibility of seed and feed shortage. The last named resolution set forth that the importation of grain would add considerably to the cost of same, and cause risk of introducing noxious weeds.

Spectrum of "Retaliation"

Speaking towards the close of the Convention, Robert Gardiner, M.P., confined his review of the session to a few outstanding features. He gave a very concise presentation of Canada's financial position. Referring to the Maritime Freights Act (discussed more fully before the Calgary Federal Conference), Mr. Gardiner stated that this measure had been strongly opposed by the U.F.A. group on the ground that the Maritimes were already paying lower rates than the Western Provinces. He was emphatic and unequivocal in his condemnation of the "campaign organized in Eastern Canada, primarily by those who have made huge fortunes out of the tariff, and largely at the expense of the farmers of this country, in favor of a policy of tariff retaliation as a means of solving some of our pressing problems."

It was said by these gentlemen that "if we had any red blood in our veins" we should retaliate. The campaign was being pushed very energetically, and those responsible for it would not be satisfied until they had built a high tariff wall round the Dominion, from which they would see to it that they were the chief beneficiaries.

They talked of the creation of a home market by the aid of tariff walls, and they offered to build up a great industrial population to consume the products of Canada's farms. "How long," asked Mr. Gardiner, "how long will they be in building up an industrial population that will buy from us all our wheat?"—a question the mere statement of which revealed in a nutshell the answer to all demands that the farmers of Western Canada shall abandon the policy in tariff matters which they have always consistently pursued.

U.F.A. Members' Proposal

Mr. Gardiner pointed out that to raise a tariff wall against the United States would be to penalize ourselves in our capacity as consumers, and he cited the answer to the retaliationists which had been given by the U.F.A. and associated groups in the House—a resolution which had been opposed alike by Liberals and Conservatives. We, in Canada, the member said, were buying 45 per cent more from the United States than they bought from us. Under present conditions this was inevitable. Capital was coming in from the United States to develop industry here, and it was economically inevitable that goods should follow. To Great Britain we sold twice as much as Britain sold to us. The U.F.A. members, therefore, had pressed in an amendment to the budget for an immediate substantial reduction in the British preference as a step towards freer trade relations with other nations." If such a reduction took place, the effect would undoubtedly be the relief of the great masses of the people of this country through lower prices for manufactured goods, and a further expansion of our export markets overseas.

Alberta Pools' Sound Policy

In the course of a very interesting account of the action taken at Ottawa to secure the desired amendments to the Canada Grain Act, Mr. Gardiner said that he believed these amendments would now give "absolute protection for every farmer shipping grain if he would only take advantage of the provisions of the act." He paid a tribute to the Board of the Alberta Wheat Pool for the manner in which they had looked after the interests of their members in this matter, not only in seeking desirable changes, but also in refusing to be led into unwise action in a case in which every effort was made to induce them to so proceed.

Rufus Cates Presides

Reports presented by Rufus Cates, president of the Constituency Association, who was the elected chairman, and by J. K. Sutherland, U.F.A. Director and Secretary for the constituency, were of an encouraging character. Mr. Cates described the recent U.F.A. Conference on Federal Affairs, which he said had proved a most effective means of keeping the officers of the Association and its Federal Constituency branches in touch with the work carried on at Ottawa, as well as serving as a clearing house of ideas for farmers and farm women living under varied conditions in the various areas of the Province.

The financial statement, presented by Mr. Sutherland, showed a balance on hand of $670.47, which, together with authorization forms on the Wheat Pool for a total of $220, would bring the amount to the credit of the constituency association to $899.47. Of the total number of authorization forms signed to date, Mr. Sutherland pointed out, Acadia had obtained one third.

Value of Authorization Plan

Mr. Sutherland showed that financial institutions and other bodies had the right to take assignments from the Pool, the cost of handling these being borne by the Pool, so that the U.F.A. member who wished to pay his dues to the Association in this manner was fully entitled to do so. While in the case of other bodies the cost of the work fell on the Pool, the U.F.A. had offered to pay whatever amount was involved.

To pay dues by authorization form, Mr. Sutherland pointed out, is virtually to pay by cheque. It is exactly like writing a cheque on a bank in the ordinary way, except that in this case the "cheque" is drawn on the Pool. Though the authorizations run to the full term of the Pool, the farmer has the right to cancel his authorization at any time, should he wish to do so, merely by writing the Pool to that effect.

Junior President Speaks

The Convention greeted with marked approval the thoughtful and well-balanced address of Charlie Mills, President of the

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Battle River Asks Early Action Towards Government Owned Power Scheme

Federal U.F.A. Convention Also Urges Inquiry into State Medicine—Endorses Provincial Government's Work for Co-operative Institutes—More Intensive Membership Campaign Planned—H. E. Spencer, M.P., Reports to Convention.

By Mrs. DORA EAST, *Secretary*

Urging upon the Provincial Government the necessity of early action towards a Government operated power scheme, a resolution passed by the Battle River annual convention held in Wainwright July 15th and 16th, declared that "private interests are concentrating to control the power resources of the Province, and the effect of their success would not be beneficial to the public."

Another resolution which was adopted, asks the Central Executive to make a "full investigation into the possibilities of state medicine in all its branches."

The Convention also by resolution heartily endorsed the work of the Provincial Government in aiding and supporting the Co-operative Institutes; urged the enlarging of municipal districts so as to enable each district to employ the full time of a qualified engineer to supervise and co-ordinate all improvements; while it further expressed the purpose of the Battle River U.F.A. Federal Constituency Association to put on a more intensive membership campaign during the coming year.

The first morning session, held in the Wainwright Theatre, was taken up with routine business and the addresses of the secretary and president—the secretary-treasurer's report showing the organization on an improved financial basis.

The president reviewed the activities of the Federal U.F.A. members at Ottawa and showed that the U.F.A. was indeed justified in taking political action and that the first great success was not an emotional outburst nor did going into politics wreck the U.F.A. as many had predicted.

Provincial Member Speaks

In the afternoon, on the picnic grounds of the Wainwright Park, J. R. Love, the Provincial Member for Wainwright, spoke on co-operative marketing, dealing especially with the subject of the propaganda that is being carried on by the opponents of the Dairy Pool in circulating a paper. In a most effective address he showed the unscrupulous character of the stand it was taking and stressed the need of the U.F.A., the parent society of these co-operative movements in Alberta, making an effective effort to offset the propaganda put out to destroy the efficiency of the pools.

He was followed by Wm. Irvine, M.P., for Wetaskiwin, who in a brilliant, witty, and thought-provoking address spoke on co-operative government, showing the difficulty of Parliament functioning efficiently under the present system and outlined the Parliament of the future in which each member would represent his own economic group and work co-operatively with representatives of all other economic groups.

Hon. R. G. Reid, in an able speech on co-operative financing, pointed out that co-operative societies with no share capital except a nominal fee found it difficult to finance these enterprises and the Provincial Government, which is very sympathetic to co-operative development, during the past session had passed a bill making it possible for the co-operative societies to be financed by an advance from the government to the extent of eighty-five per cent.

One of the season's wind storms seemed to do its best to mar the afternoon by making it difficult for speakers and for the supper committee, but despite the wind, the spirit of the day overcame these drawbacks and a most enjoyable afternoon and evening were spent.

Spencer's Address

In Mr. Spencer's report, he gave a synopsis of the Speech from the Throne, together with the general replies as enunciated by the four leaders representing generally the viewpoints of their respective groups.

He then referred to the main clauses in the Budget, and quoted the amendment and sub-amendment as moved in turn by the Conservatives and the Independent groups.

Reference was made to the resolutions on the Order Paper, many of which, unfortunately, were never reached. It was worth noting that when private members' day was cancelled there were still 28 resolutions to be considered, which speaks well for the initiative of the private member.

A summary of expenditure for the year ending March 31st, 1930, was then given by Mr. Spencer in some detail, which showed that the sum of over $261,000,000 was being expended in 37 different ways. A list of the most important private and public bills was then given, and a short synopsis was outlined of each.

An interesting part of his address was a report on the work of the Special or Standing House Committees. Those included such committees as:

Dominion Elections Act, Agriculture and Colonization, Railways and Canals, Standing Orders, Banking and Commerce, Industrial and International Relations, and Public Accounts.

Some outstanding subjects of the session might be enumerated as follows:

The lease of the Seven Sisters Falls in Manitoba; the control of water powers; debate on Federal grant for Provincial roads; criticism of present divorce legislation; Grain Act administration; the taking over by the Canadian National of numerous small railways; $50,000,000 for the Montreal terminals (C.N.R.)

Two outside commissions are working on Government business; one to consider the salaries of technical civil servants, and another on radio broadcasting.

During the session no fewer than 336 bills were passed, made up as follows:

34 private bills other than divorce; 64 public bills; and 238 divorce bills.

In concluding his report, Mr. Spencer referred to the votes cast during the session, and the part he had taken.

At the conclusion of his address an opportunity was given to the audience to ask questions of the member or to make suggestions.

Other excellent addresses were given by Mrs. Warr, President of the U.F.W.A., who gave much valuable information on the Educational Act and on public health; and also much deplored the expenditure on preparation for war when disputes should be settled by arbitration.

Mrs. Pickle, Director of the U.F.W.A., gave a timely talk to all workers in the organization.

P. Enemauer, M.L.A. for Alexandra, in his forceful address on the "Experiment of Democracy" reminded his audience that they got what they paid for in service of their representatives as in other things and also compared the economic status of the farmer with other callings.

The officers elected for the coming year were as follows: president, Walter Skinner, Riverton; vice-president, C. L. Pickle, Hayter; directors: C. East, E. Wood, B. C. Lees, and Mr. Hertzig.

BUYING UP THE PRESS

(*New Republic*, New York)

The more we learn about the attempt of the International Paper and Power Company to buy up newspapers, the more outrageous it seems. This organization, which is primarily a power company and only secondarily in the business of selling paper, not only invested heavily in thirteen newspapers, including important organs in Chicago, Boston and New York City, but it attempted to buy at least twenty other leading papers, in every part of the country east of the Rocky Mountains. Included were the St. Louis *Globe-Democrat*, Columbus, Ohio, *Dispatch*; Kansas City *Star*; Milwaukee *Journal*; Detroit *Free Press*; Cleveland *News*; Newark *Evening News*; Philadelphia *Inquirer*; Indianapolis *News*; Minneapolis *Star*; Buffalo *Times*, the Booth chain of papers in Michigan, and others. Two young men, Harold Hall and William LaVarre, were sent on a buying debauch through the South, purchasing four newspapers, and entering into negotiations for twenty others. Apparently, all these efforts were only interrupted when the fact of the investment in the Boston *Transcript* and *Herald* became public, through the researches of other Boston publishers. For all we know to the contrary, the halt may have been only temporary. Mr. Graustein of the I. P. and P. is certainly unrepentant, and there is no law, nor any other form of handicap, to prevent his buying a hundred million dollars' worth of papers if he wants to.

SAVE THE SURFACE

The druggist was awakened long after midnight by the violent ringing of his doorbell. On looking out his window he saw a young miss in evening clothes.

"What's the matter?" he cried, as he pulled on his dressing-gown. "Somebody ill?"

"Oh, no," she cried gaily, "but I'm at a dance close by and I've mislaid my rouge."

"Really?" asked the druggist softly. "Well, I'm sorry, but I never keep enough rouge in stock to cover a cheek like yours!"

Premier Opens Fine U.F.A. Community Hall at Balzac

Describes Two Things Greater Even Than the Wheat Pool at Memorable Local Gathering

It has been said that proximity to a city often imposes a handicap on U.F.A. Locals, owing to the very strong attraction which the city offers. Those who were privileged to attend the gathering in "The Balzac U.F.A. Community Hall" on the occasion of its official opening by Premier Brownlee on July 5th, realized that in this district at least (and actual experience shows that Balzac is not alone in this respect among the rural communities near Calgary), the U.F.A. spirit is fully as strong, and the pride of the people of the district in the U.F.A. movement is as high, as anywhere in Alberta.

Certainly the gathering was one of the most inspiring which the Directors of the U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. and the Juniors and members of many neighboring Locals who came up from the Calgary Board meeting, have experienced. *The movement in Balzac is not only not languishing by reason of its nearness to Calgary, but is obviously, in spite of its excellent record last year, still continuing on a rising tide of interest and enthusiasm.*

A Crowded Hall

The large hall, which was described in our last issue, will normally accommodate about 400 persons, but the numbers attending the official opening, who came by train and car, not only from the immediate district, but from many points on the C. & E., and from west, south and east of Calgary, much exceeded that number. How the ladies, who served the appetizing supper which concluded the first part of the night's proceedings, ever managed to provide for all, might have seemed something of a problem to the mere visitor, but if so, it was completely solved, for every diner was treated most generously, and all arrangements were carried out in excellent fashion.

W. J. Church, who was the organizer of Balzac U.F.A. Local 15 years ago, and secretary until George Church, his son, succeeded him in 1928, presided at the ceremony, and spoke in happy vein in a brief opening address, giving a large measure of credit to Arthur Robinson, who had been in charge of the construction work, which was carried out by mainly voluntary labor in the remarkably short period of fifteen days. Mr. Church introduced H. E. G. H. Scholefield, Vice-President of the Association, who congratulated the Local on its fine new hall and, reviewing briefly some of the past history of the movement, said that all could look with pride on its achievement over two decades. The light of the U.F.A. must be kept burning in a spirit of co-operation.

J. J. Strang, Director of the Wheat Pool, said he was a U.F.A. man before he was a Wheat Pool man, and never lost sight of the importance of the primary organization. He described in an interesting manner the structure of the Pool, and urged his hearers to "preach, teach, and live co-operation."

Mrs. Warr's Address

Mrs. A. H. Warr, President of the U.F.W.A., who paid tribute to the splendid spirit of co-operation in the Balzac district, gave an account of the health program of the U.F.W.A., and described what had been done by the Government and what was planned for the future. She pointed out that the idea of the travelling clinics, which have proved so successful, originated in a U.F.W.A. Local in the Peace River. She appealed for very thorough study of the new School Bill, and pointed out that if for the sake of efficiency a greater degree of centralization were required, there was a parallel in the case of the Wheat Pool in which centralization and democracy had been found quite reconcilable. At the conclusion of her address, Mrs. Warr was presented with a very beautiful bouquet by Miss Lois Church, the little daughter of George Church, the chairman of the U.F.A. Community Hall Association.

Greater Even Than Wheat Pool

In a speech in which his discussion of the eminently practical affairs of co-operative and governmental enterprise was fired by a fine idealism and vision, Premier Brownlee, after expressing his sense of the privilege which was his in attending this opening ceremony, declared that, great as was the achievement of the Wheat Pool, there were two things of even greater importance, and destined to leave a still more lasting impression on the life of the Province. The first of these was the U.F.A., which, among other accomplishments, had dotted the Province with such centres of community activities as the one which he had the honor of opening.

More important than the development of any marketing institution, was the new conception of the state and society which the U.F.A. had given to the people of Alberta. "We are marching forward, hand in hand, as co-operators to a common goal," he said, "the goal of a co-operative state to replace the competitive state." Those who in communities throughout the Province had locally been working together for mutual benefit, as had the U.F.A. membership in Balzac, were members of an organization which for twenty years had been engaged in transforming the life of the Province, and, while they had made large advances in transforming its economic life, they were inspired in these practical undertakings by a noble ideal, the ideal of freedom in co-operation for all mankind.

The Premier then gave an outline of the growth of co-operation in Britain and elsewhere. Describing the functions of the state, he showed that in Alberta the greatest co-operative enterprise was that of the Government of the Province. He pointed out, incidentally, that without the protection of legislation which the farmers had obtained through political action, the Wheat Pool could not exist.

M. C. McCool, M.L.A., for Cochrane, who said it was a memorable experience to be present at so inspiring a gathering, briefly discussed the purposes of the U.F.A., which recognized that "the good of all is more important than that of any individual."

Mr. McLean, Balzac Pool Elevator operator, and W. C. Perry, reeve of Beddington municipality, gave brief speeches which were very well received by the audience.

A most enjoyable musical program, to which Miss Lorna Rosenberger, of Balzac, and Misses Dorothy Williams and Beryl Scott, of the Wheat Kernels, contributed, was given during the course of the evening.

RUST RESISTANT WHEAT

As a result of experiments that have been carried on for several years, officials of the Canadian Federal Department of Agriculture feel assured that two or three varieties of wheat have been at last developed that will resist rust.

No names have yet been given the new varieties and it will be two or three years before they can be produced in sufficient quantities for seed distribution, but it is confidently felt that the kind that will resist the known variety of rust has at last been developed. It is to be remembered, explain the chemists and plant breeders who have been conducting the experiments, principally at the Department of Agriculture laboratories at Winnipeg, that one rust will cross another and evolve a new kind, but the wheat grades discovered by careful research withstand them all.

ALBERTA'S ROADS

(*Red Deer Advocate*)

There is bound to be conflict of opinion and judgment between the Alberta Motor Association officers and the *Calgary Herald*, which has made itself the mouthpiece of a persistent demand for heavy expenditures for gravelled roads in Alberta, on the one hand, and the Government and Department which is responsible for the expenditures for construction of public highways, on the other hand. But that is no reason why the *Herald* should go so far as to declare the Government's road policy "weak, inefficient and inadequate." Such assertions are not justified by the facts, in view of the misstatements and unfair comparisons which the Minister corrected at the Municipal Convention at Calgary, and since. The Minister pointed out that Alberta has much greater mileage of gravel surfaced roads than Saskatchewan has with a much larger population, and with less difficult country in which to build. Considering length of settlement, population and area to be covered, we are well ahead of Manitoba. The same factors considered, we are in advance of the Maritimes. Our development compares most favorably with Montana, in spite of the fact that they have received a great amount of federal aid. It does seem odd, the Minister might well point out, that North and South Carolina, Pennsylvania, Quebec and the United States as a whole, should be held up as a comparison to Alberta's advancement. Why not Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, and some other such States where the comparison would be a little more fair? the Minister rightly declared.

The municipal districts are doing splendid work on the whole in the grading of their roads, and are meeting these costs out of current revenue. While tourist traffic is valuable, it is infinitely more to Alberta's advantage to have all its country roads improved for the better and speedier use of its people.

If Protection Is Good

(*Western Producer*, Saskatoon)

The other day the *Ottawa Citizen* produced the old argument against protection. It said that if protection had been of great advantage to the United States, as R. B. Bennett and his followers constantly maintain, it should be of benefit to every state of the union to protect itself by tariff barriers against its neighboring states. The *Citizen* holds that the United States is now prosperous—if it is prosperous—on account of the very considerable measure of free trade supplied by the enormous area and population of all the States.

Mr. Bennett's Argument

It is easy to reduce the protective argument to absurdity along these lines. For

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NEWS FROM ALBERTA DAIRY POOL HEAD OFFICE

The Unfortunate Oversights of "An Advocate of True Co-Operation"

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News from Alberta Wheat Pool Head Office

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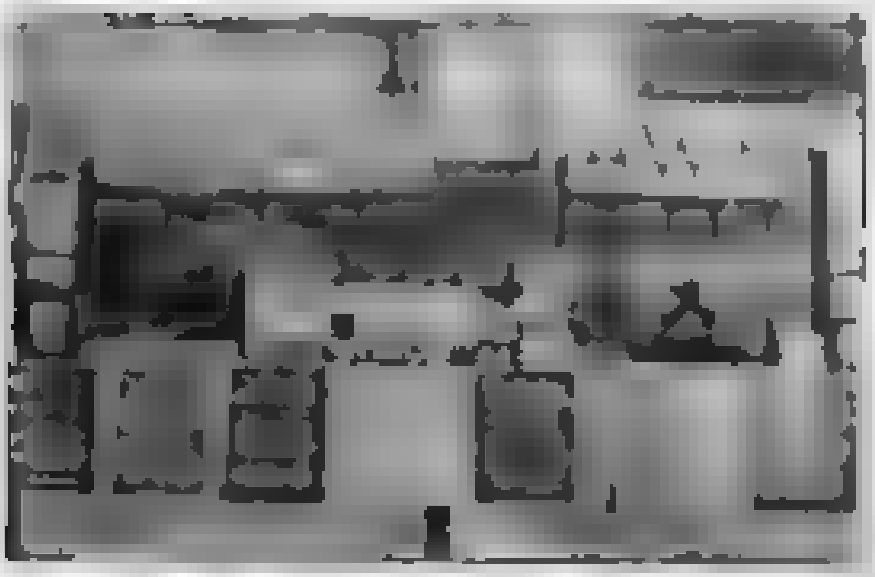

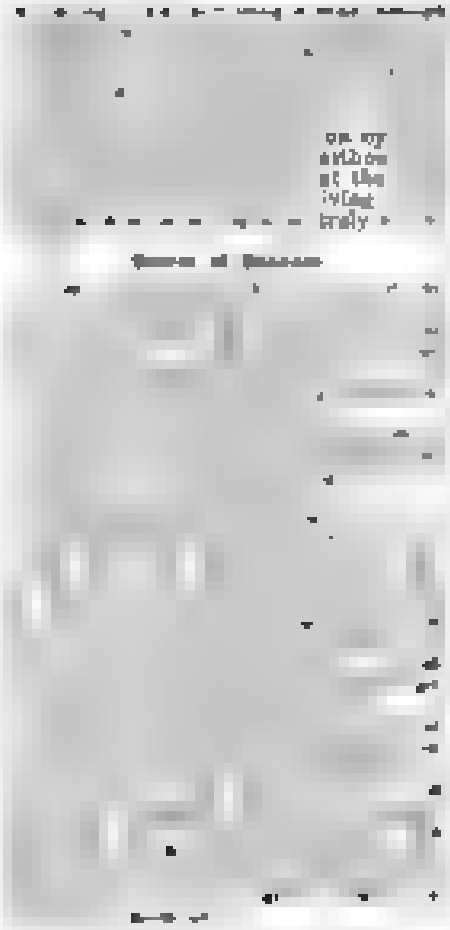

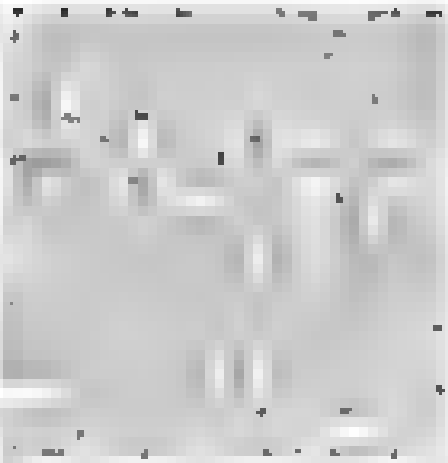

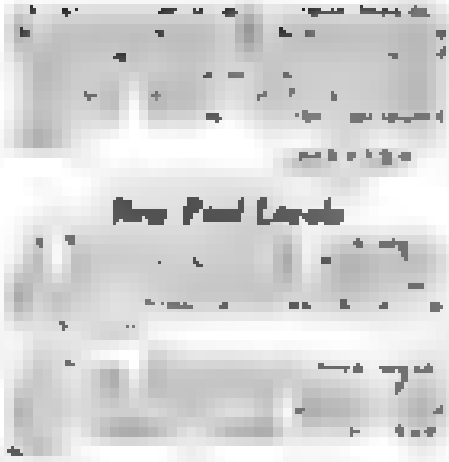

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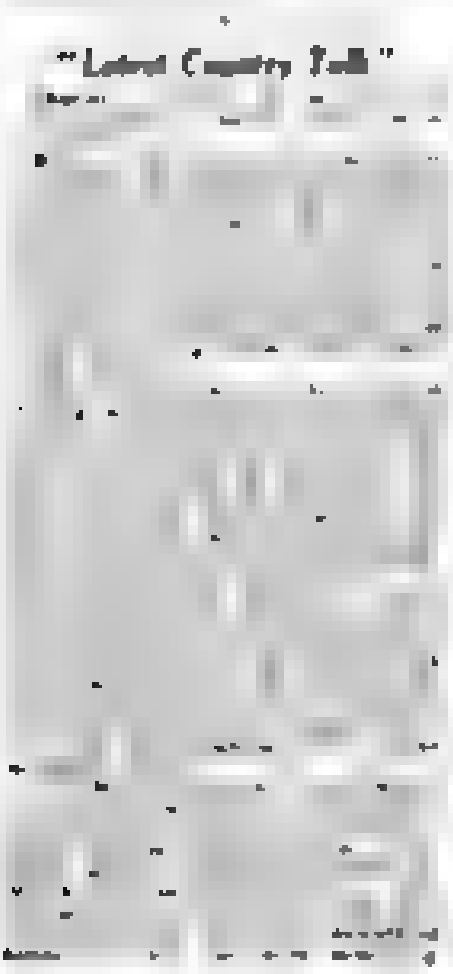

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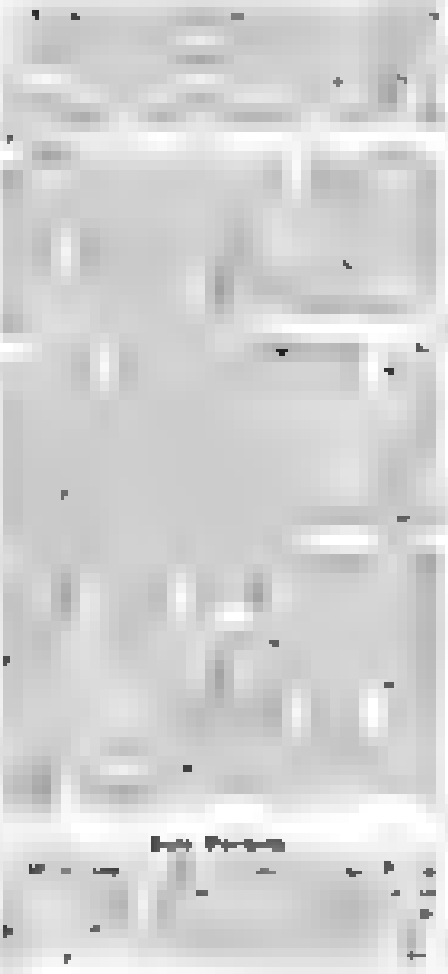

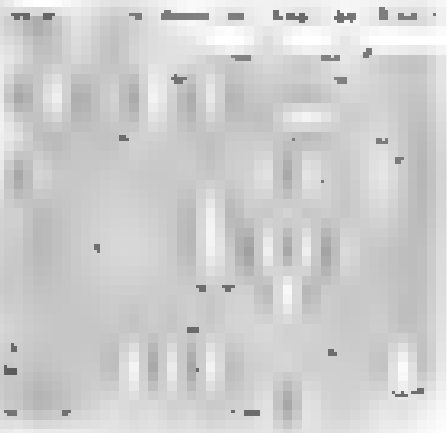

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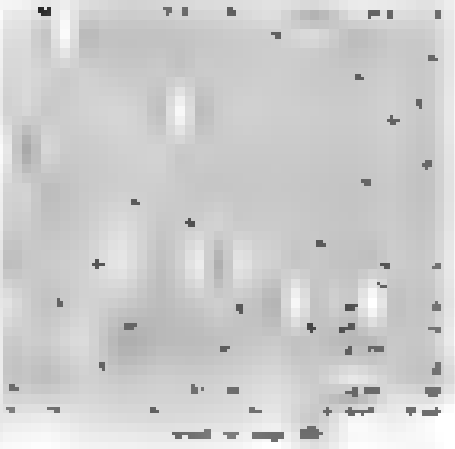

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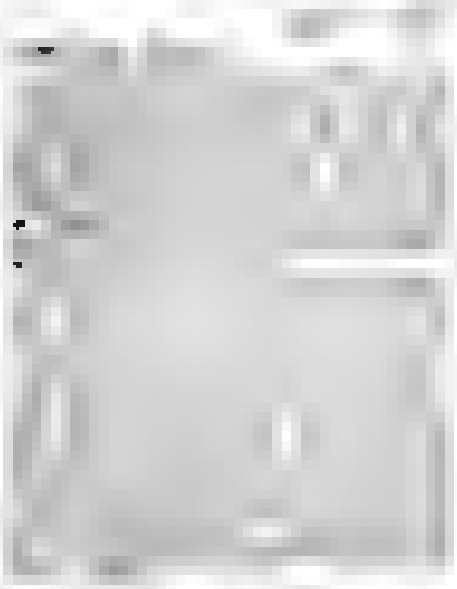

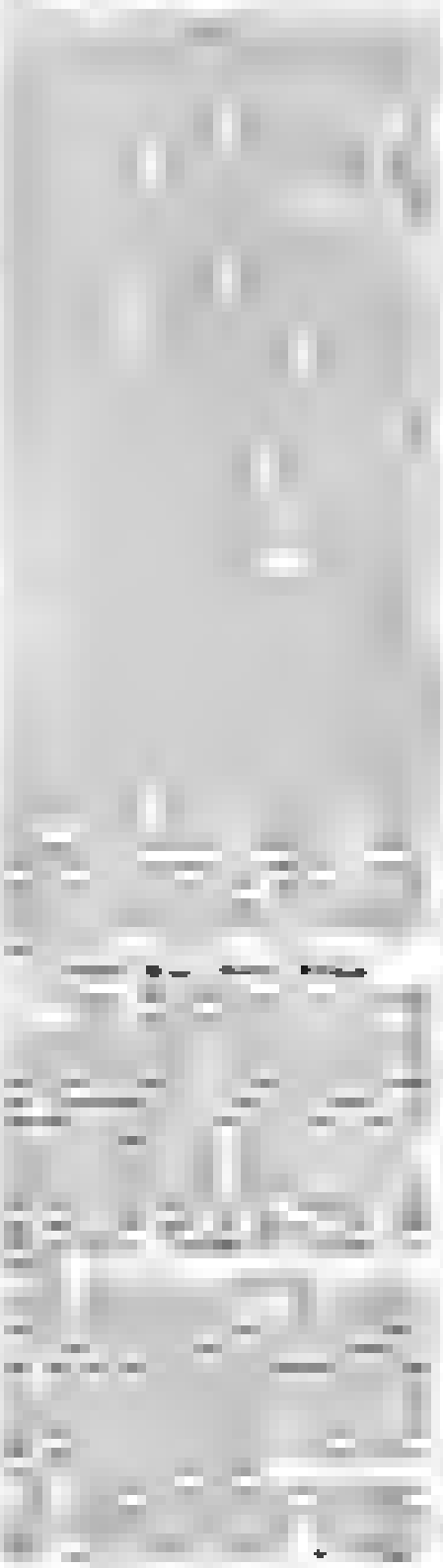

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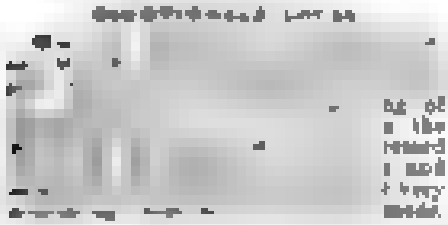

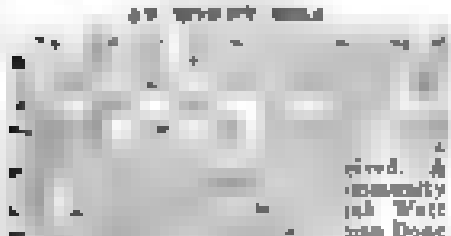

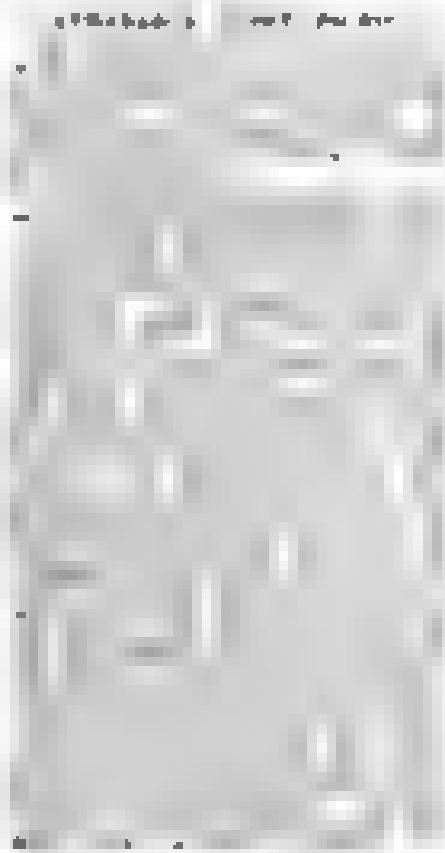

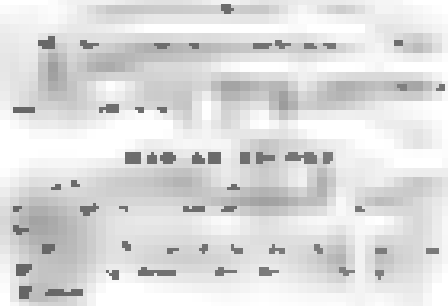

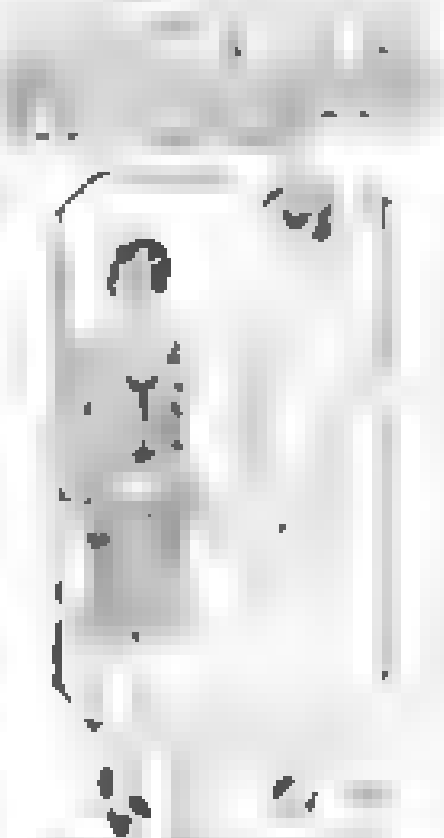

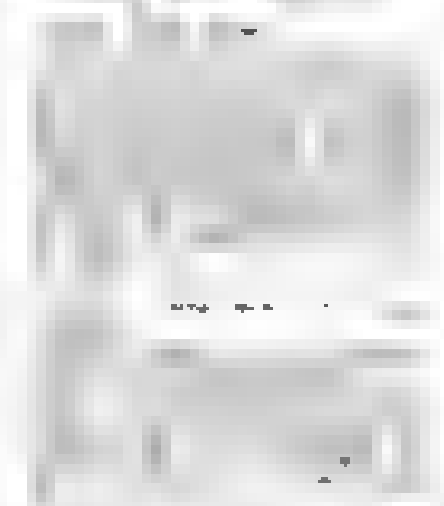

Place all together in the top of a double boiler and cook over hot water until it thickens. Then chill thoroughly.

French Salad Dressing. Quarter cup olive or marola oil, two tablespoons vinegar (or substitute juice of a tablespoon lemon); half teaspoon pepper or paprika, salt to taste. Combine all ingredients and beat well.

Horseradish Salad Dressing. One cup whipped cream (or half cup whipped cream and half cup milk), 1 tablespoon vinegar, 1 tablespoon grated horseradish, 1 tablespoon prepared mustard and quarter teaspoon salt.

WANT GOVERNMENT RADIO

The Halifax County Radio Association has recommended to the Government commission, which is inquiring into radio conditions in Canada, that broadcasting stations should be owned by the Government and operated by an independent commission. The suggestion is that powerful stations should be set up at Vancouver, Winnipeg, Toronto, Montreal, Ottawa, Quebec, St. John, Halifax and at points midway between Edmonton and Calgary in Alberta, and midway between Saskatoon and Regina in Saskatchewan. These powerful Government-owned stations would provide Canadians and other listeners-in with first class programs selected by an independent commission.

NO ESCAPE

No civilian will be safe in the next big war, to judge from reports made to the recent meeting of the International Congress of Med. Chem. Experts in Brussels. Poison gas will get you, wherever you are, and protective devices cannot cope with it. Shells will be made, gas are being made which when dropped from airplanes, burst between the earth, but do not explode until after 4, 5, 6 or even 36 hours. Intervention with deadly missiles, even the best organized rescue squads would prove appalling. Masks are no protection.

The congress agreed that none of the recommended measures for safeguarding humanity offers an adequate protection for the civilian population against poison gas attacks and that a future chemical warfare is likely to produce the most frightful atrocities among a nation's noncombatants."

Weekly Sun, Winnipeg.

DANGEROUS LEVEL CROSSINGS

The contribution of some $[illegible] from the railway grade crossing fund as part of the cost of diversion certain roads in the northern section of the Provincial designating level crossings as dangerous by the Board of Railway Commissioners in session in Edmonton recently. This amounts approximately 40 per cent of the estimated cost of these diversions, the remaining portion of the cost being borne by the Alberta Department of Public Works. Dangerous level crossings will thus be avoided on the Edmonton-Lloydminster highway near Thorsby, on the Wetaskiwin-Hayter road west of Camrose, on the Edmonton-Wainwright highway near Hardisty and Fort Saskatchewan and a diversion will escape two crossings on the Willingdon-Smithfield line.

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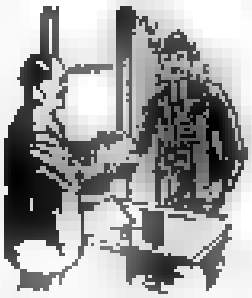

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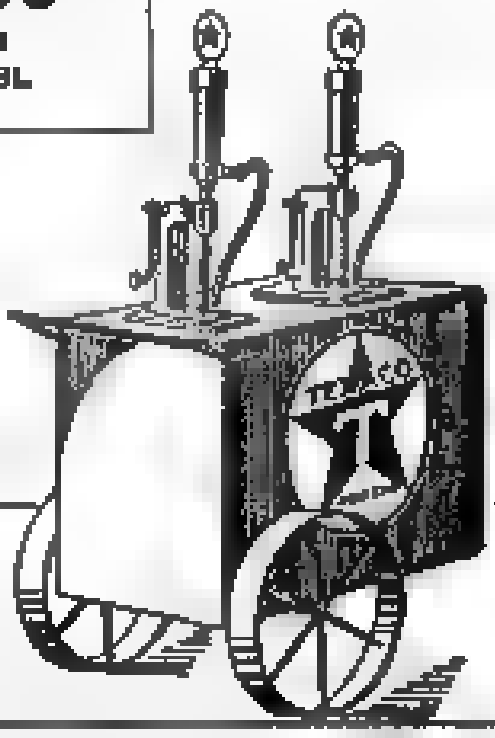

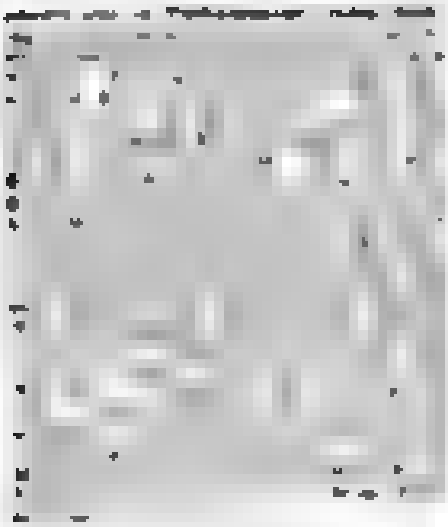

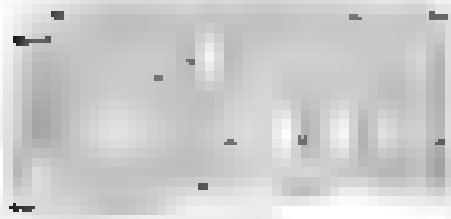

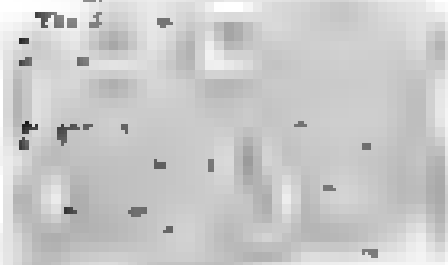

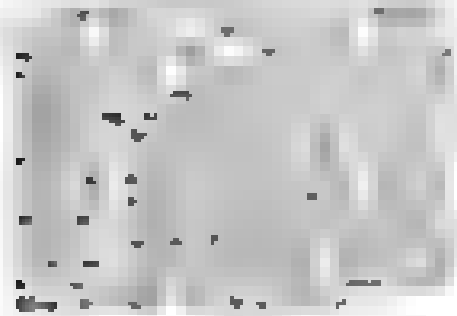

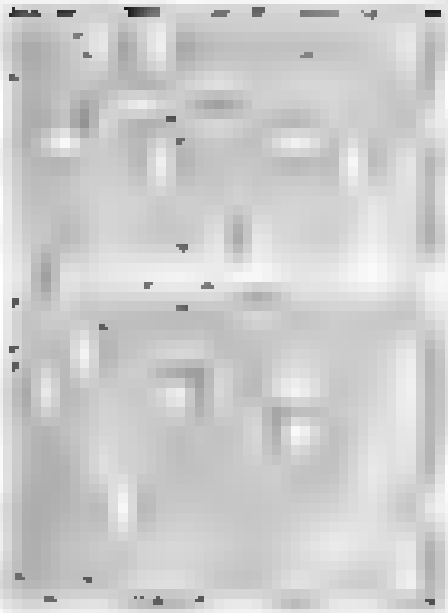

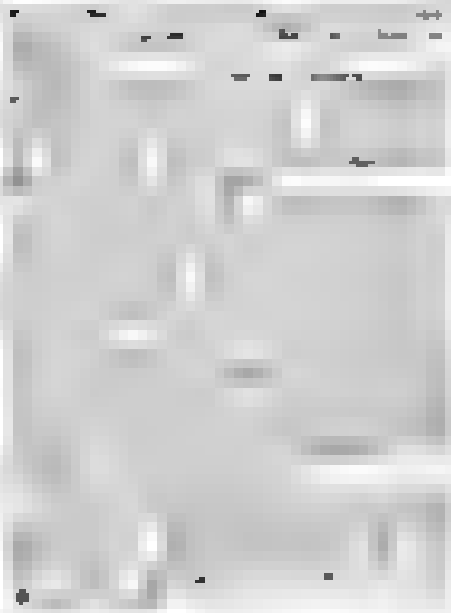

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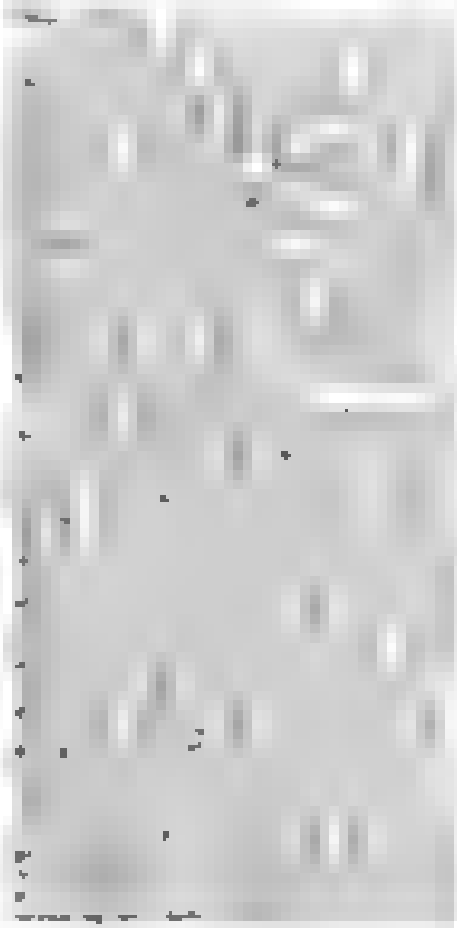

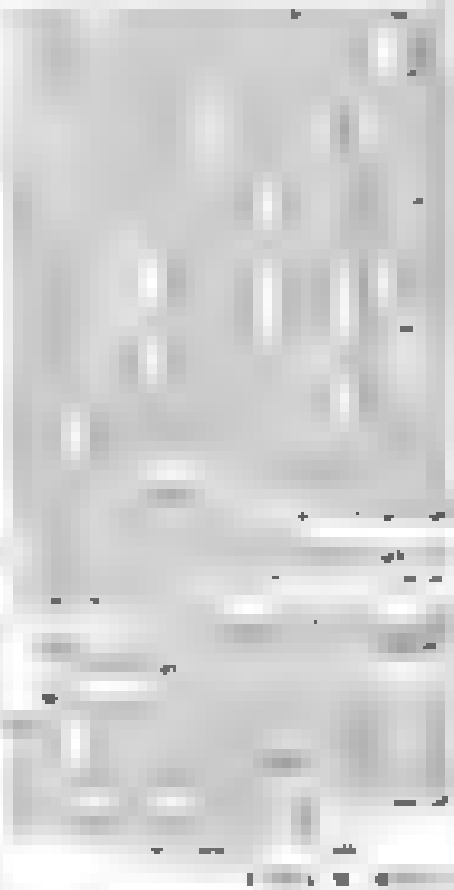

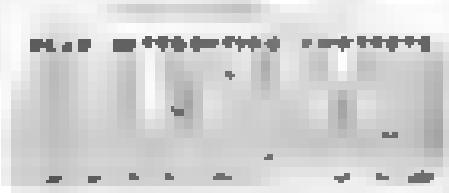

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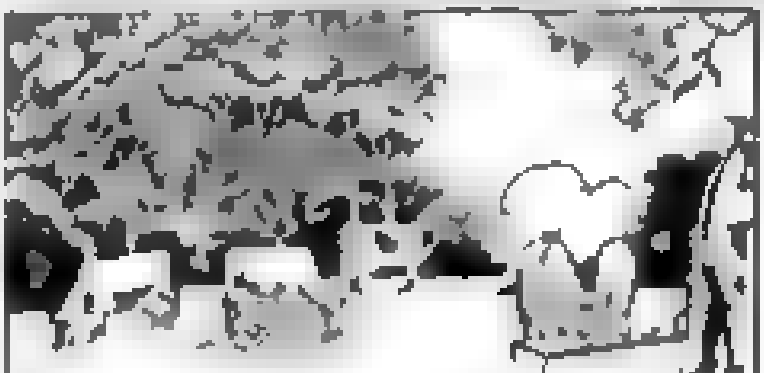

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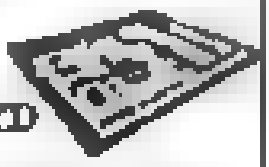

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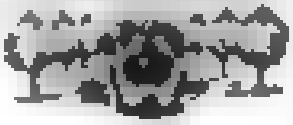

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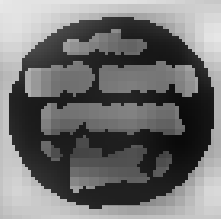

NEWS FROM THE HEAD OFFICE of the ALBERTA LIVESTOCK POOL

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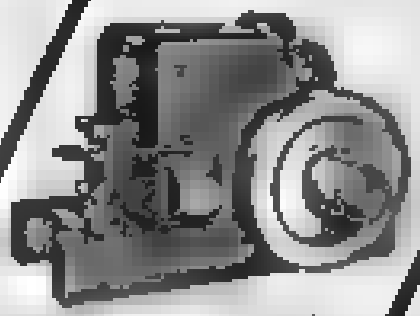

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Great Interest Shown in Wheat Pool Election

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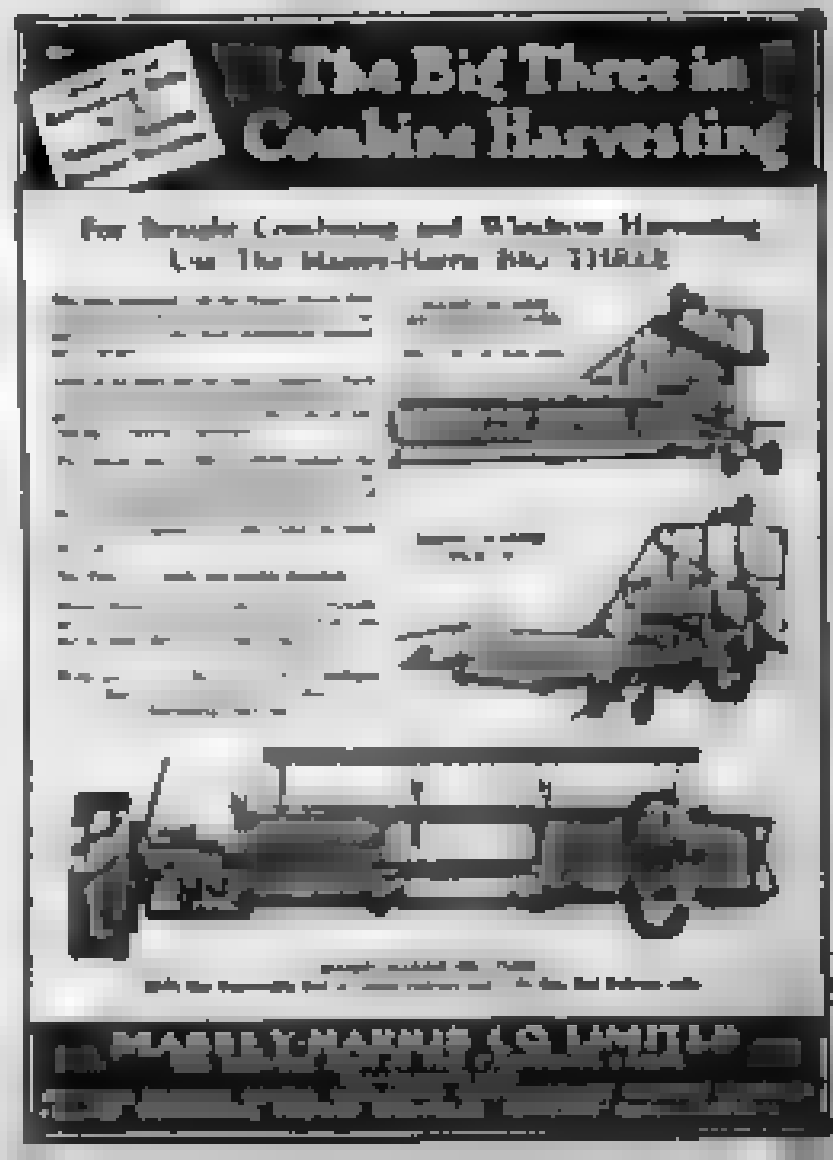

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honors that could have been conferred upon any one, but it was also a great responsibility. She congratulated the Acadia constituency on its splendid leadership in the persons of Mr. Sutherland and Mrs. Banner, of whom, wherever she had gone, she had heard nothing but the highest praise; and she believed that the farmers of Alberta realized very fully the change in character of their representation at Ottawa which had come since 1921, when a band of members, few in numbers, but able through their devoted labors to accomplish much for agriculture, had been returned—Mr. Gardiner the first of their number.

Mrs. Warr dealt very effectively with a phase of the tariff question which had not been touched upon by other speakers. She was glad, she said, that the principles of free trade and protection had been discussed, and she wished to emphasize the futility and grave danger of the introduction of "retaliation" as a principle in international affairs. It was this spirit which found expression in retaliation in armaments, the constant building of armament wall against armament wall, and bred the spirit of war. The U.F.A. pursued policies which lead in the direction of world peace.

Recalling the fact that the U.F.W.A. has repeatedly gone on record against cadet training in the schools, Mrs. Warr said it was gratifying to note that Lethbridge had abolished this training, and she hoped other communities would follow suit and that it would soon be a thing of the past in Alberta.

Officers Elected

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President, Rufus Cates, Oyen; vice-president, Mrs. R. Clarke, Fraser, Chinook. Directors (by sub-divisions): No. 1, S. R. Hooper, Rowley; Mrs. J. McCrimmon, Craigmyle; No. 2, George W. Starmer, Loyalty; Mrs. D. L. Anderson, Consort. No. 3, Mrs. C. Bishop, Excel; Robert Shaw, Oyen. No. 4, J. Higginbotham, Lone Butte; Mrs. Harry Cowan, Lone Butte.

Record Convention Held in Acadia Provincial Riding

(From the *Oyen News*)

The U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. convention, held in Oyen on July 18th, proved by far the best yet held by these organizations. The number of delegates and visitors present and the general interest displayed constituted a record.

The general business of the morning session, which included the election of committees, passed off smoothly.

The afternoon session was addressed by Lorne Proudfoot, M.L.A., who gave an interesting and lucid talk on legislation passed during the last session, some phases of Provincial finance, power development in the Province, and changes to the School Act. This was followed by a period for questions, resolutions and the election of officers, and concluded by an address by Robert Gardiner, M.P., on "Amendments to the Grain Act."

Premier Brownlee, the speaker of the evening, was given a rousing reception. In a pleasingly delivered address he dealt with the many problems which have confronted his government and are still being dealt with, not least among which are the proposed changes in the School Act and the Public Health Act. He was given an attentive hearing and received very hearty applause at the conclusion of his remarks.

Robert Gardiner, M.P., then gave an address outlining the session's work at Ottawa, financial problems of the Dominion, high lights on the budget and the important amendments to the Election Act.

All sessions were presided over by Mr. James Cameron, the retiring president.

During the recess between the afternoon and evening session, supper was served to the delegates and visitors at the United Church by the Ladies' Aid.

FRUIT CO-OPERATIVE

The United Farmers of Canada, British Columbia Section, have organized a trading department, with J. H. Shimek, of Hatzic, as secretary. They have signed up a number of the farmers, chiefly in the Hatzic and Mission districts, to sell their fruit through the trading department, and in a letter to *The U.F.A.* Mr. Shimek appeals to prairie farmers for support. "The response we have had from co-operative stores and the co-operative wholesale association, also the Locals and individual members of the U.F.A. and the U.F.C., is very encouraging indeed," writes Mr. Shimek. "We have at present the control of only a small proportion of our fruit crop in B.C.; the rest is in the hands of the shippers."

"PRUDENT INSURANCE"

(Zechariah Chafee, Jr., in *The Nation*, New York)

We are told that all those cruisers, submarines, gas bombs, and war planes are only prudent insurance. Of all analogies, this is the most fallacious. Fires are not caused by insurance—at least not by the kind decent people take out; but armaments do cause war. It is all very well to say that they are only for defense. It is as impossible for us to devise an army and navy which will protect us against other countries and yet be unable to attack them as it was for the Irishman to obtain a gun which would shoot just high enough to miss his dog and just low enough to miss his cow.

Sir Edward Grey, who knew more than most men about the causes of the World War, says:

> **Each Government, while resenting any suggestion that its own measures are anything more than a precaution for defense, regards similar measures of another government as preparation for attack. The moral is obvious: it is that great armaments, that is intended in each nation to produce consciousness of strength and a sense of security, does not produce these effects. On the contrary, it produces a consciousness of the strength of other nations and a sense of fear.**

Let me make myself clear. I propose that we shall at once reduce our navy to a coast patrol and our army to an internal police force, turn our valuable military engineers into civilian officials, and close every poison-gas plant. If any backward countries or pirate-infested waters require policing, let it be done by international police. If our President wishes to go on another peace mission to South America, give him a magnificent yacht instead of a battleship. Tell the world that henceforth we shall act as if the Kellogg Treaty means exactly what it says.

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NEWS FROM ALBERTA DAIRY POOL

(Continued from page 18)

of August, 1928, the policy of paying the express on all cream shipped to the various Pool units. This is now the policy with all centralized creameries.

Now the easiest way to show the distribution of the profits is to illustrate by an example. Suppose for the next six years the profits of the Pool averaged 3½c per pound butterfat per year, and that each member loans the association 1½c per year for five years and that in five years the creamery is entirely paid for by means of this reserve and that these annual loans are returned after every fifth year. A member shipping one can per week for three or four months would scarcely be considered as a real dairy producer. However, this amount of cream would represent about 281 pounds of butterfat. The distribution of dividends of this amount for six years on a 3½ profit would be as follows:

	1st year	2nd to 5th year per year	Every year after 5th year per year
Pounds of butterfat	2.81	2.81	2.81
Dividend at 3½c	9.83	9.83	9.83
Participation certificate	4.21	4.21	4.21
Membership fee	2.00		
Subscription to *Cow Bell*	.35	.35	.35
	6.56	6.56	
Cash payment	3.27	5.27	5.27
Redemption participation certificate			4.21
Total cash payment	$3.27	$5.27	$9.48

On the other hand if a man is milking 10 cows and getting 2500 pounds B.F., as Mr. Wm. Ford, of Radway, and many others are doing, his dividends would be as follows:

	1st year	2nd to 5th year	After 5th year
Pounds of butterfat	2500	2500	2500
Dividends 3½c	87.50	87.50	87.50
Participation certificate	37.50	37.50	37.50
Membership fee	2.00		
Subscription to *Cow Bell*	.35	.35	.35
Cash payment	47.65	49.65	49.65
Redemption participation certificate			37.50
Total cash payment	47.65	49.65	87.15

This illustration represents the method whereby the profits of the Pool are distributed from year to year. Should any of our readers desire further information on this question, we would be pleased to continue this discussion in a future number.

CHEESE AND MILK EXPORTS

Ottawa, Canada.—Exports of Canadian cheese in 1928 totalled 114,132,500 pounds, an increase of nearly four million pounds over the preceding year.

Exports of milk showed an increase last year of about three hundred thousand gallons over 1929. The total value of milk and milk products exported in 1928 was $36,230,617, compared with $35,187,529 in the year before.

The total number of dairy factories in operation last year in Canada was 2,885, comprising 1,265 creameries, 1,303 cheese factories, 288 combined butter and cheese factories, and 29 condenseries.

Canada's grape crop this year will total about 82,000,000 pounds, an increase of about 13,000,000 pounds over last year

Market Your Poultry Through Your Own Organization

It should be welcome news for poultry producers to know that an agreement has been entered into with the Alberta Poultry Pool whereby the poultry products of Northern Alberta will be assembled and marketed through the facilities and organization provided by the Northern Alberta Dairy Pool. By handling creamery and poultry products through the same organization, a tremendous saving in overhead expenses will be effected which will naturally accrue for the benefit of the producers concerned. As an illustration, in the Province the flush egg season is under way in the spring and early summer, with the heavy movement for poultry commencing in the fall just at the time when creamery business is slacking off.

Under such conditions a live aggressive business is maintained at all seasons of the year, affording steady employment to competent trained operators, capable to handle butter, eggs and poultry. This assures constant, efficient service for the producer with relatively more money for his product.

Through the amalgamation of the Dairy and Poultry Pools, a worth-while saving in expenses is also effected in the matter of local distribution. This is so because stores, hotels and cafes, etc., using or handling butter, invariably deal in eggs and poultry. Under the existing new arrangements with the Dairy Pool's selling organization, duplication of soliciting business and delivery of the commodities handled by the Dairy and Poultry Pools has been eliminated, to the economic advantage of the members of both organizations.

Poultry Plans For the Coming Season

The time is again approaching when a heavy movement of poultry may be expected. Hence we take this opportunity of announcing to all poultry producers and Dairy Pool members, who may have poultry to market, that the arrangements whereby the Northern Alberta Dairy Pool will handle poultry has been created solely for the purpose of rendering a more efficient service that will result in increased price returns for the producer of poultry products.

Every day brings forth increased numbers of cream shippers, indicating that a satisfactory service is now available to the producers of dairy products. Hence we confidently assume that those who have poultry to market will be pleased to know that they may now deal through their own organization where they are sure to receive square and honest treatment.

Community Shipments

In many districts in the Province, particularly in the Northern sections, sufficient poultry is being raised to assemble full carloads of dressed poultry at country points. In addition to continuing and expanding the community method of marketing dressed turkeys, it is the intention of our organization to make a complete survey for the purpose of ascertaining the districts where sufficient volume of small poultry can be obtained to warrant forming local concentrating points. Local associations will be organized at these points. Demonstrations in killing and the proper methods to follow in preparing poultry for market will be given. The object is to ultimately reach the stage where every farmer will know how to finish and dress his poultry on the farm. Under the community system, the very essence of co-operation may be exemplified. This is a natural development from the old-time "bees" which were so popular and praiseworthy in the early days. Sufficient volume is provided to make up carload shipments which may be sent to the consuming markets direct from the local point of assembly.

Another source of advantage and satisfaction is that a definite date having been arranged for shipment, the poultry is brought into your own town where it is weighed and graded in your presence and where you receive payment on the spot at the time of delivery.

Local assembly for live shipment on designated dates from certain districts where conditions are not favorable for shipping on a dressed basis, will no doubt be arranged for.

There are, of course, a great many producers so situated as to find it impracticable to market under either of the foregoing methods. Under such conditions the producer will be obliged to ship at their own convenience by direct shipment. To those producers who must sell at their own convenience, may we say that we are organized and equipped to handle their shipments to their advantage at all seasons of the year.

At points where local associations are established, every effort will be made to provide literature and information on production and marketing problems in respect to the Poultry industry. In districts where locals are not established, information on any problem pertaining to preparing and shipping will be gladly given on application to the Poultry Pool Office, 10531 102nd St., Edmonton.

A Word About Turkeys

To all turkey producers we wish to announce that you now have an organization of your own which is particularly adapted for marketing turkeys. Whether you ship direct or through locally organized community shipments, our facilities have been created by your fellow producers for the express purpose of having your birds marketed so as to obtain for you the maximum returns for your turkeys. As time goes on we hope to be able to inspire your confidence to such an extent that you will co-operate with us in every possible way, so that before the time comes to market turkeys during the present year, we will have a fairly approximate idea of the amount available for shipment. We will have a great deal to say about turkeys during the next few issues. In the meantime, if we can be of any assistance to you, don't fail to call on us.

In the past, the Government Marketing Service, which we have taken over in the northern half of the Province, has been favored with an excellent turkey business and Alberta turkeys enjoy a favored reputation on the markets of the continent. This year, in many parts of the Province, crops are going to be poor. However, it will pay every turkey producer to make every effort to provide the feed that is so necessary to finish our turkeys properly in order that we may capture the markets where quality birds sell at a high premium. In the meantime, if you have any poultry to market, ship to the Alberta Poultry Pool, 10531 102nd St., Edmonton, or to the Egg and Poultry Marketing Service, Calgary.

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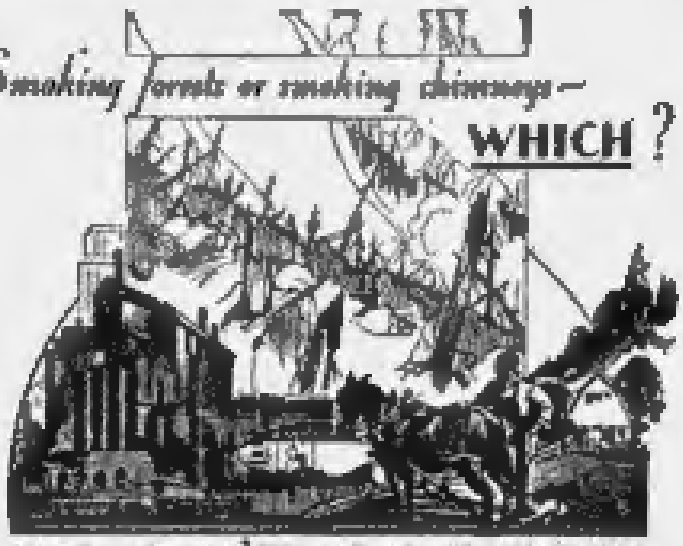

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